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Government Order regarding pay of untrained graduates in secondary schools.

* 332 *Q.*—SRI G. KRISHNAMOORTHI: Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance and Education be pleased to state with reference to the answer to supplementary question to Legislative Council starred Question No. 137 answered on 13th August 1954 the date of the Government Order allowing a salary of Rs. 65 per mensem for graduates with oriental language as the special subject appointed as Pandits in local board secondary schools?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" The salary of Rs. 65 is allowed from 1st July 1954."

SRI G. KRISHNAMOORTHI :—" Sir, may I know whether this salary will be made applicable to Tamil graduates who served in the district board schools prior to 1st July 1954, that is, in the school year 1953–54?"

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" Sir, the question came up with reference to the employment of an Honours graduate in Tamil in the District Board School, Chingleput, and we have passed orders stating that these persons should be taken as untrained graudates in secondary schools. We have passed orders that they should be paid a salary of Rs. 65 from 1st July 1954 and the relevant Government Order is No. 954, Education, dated 8th July 1954."

SRI G. KRISHNAMOORTHI :—" Sir, as there is a case of a Tamil graduate who served under the Tirunelveli District Board in 1953–54 and left for training later, will be Government see that the action of the district board in paying the Tamil graduate only Rs. 45 instead of Rs. 65 being the salary for a raw graduate is wrong and that he be paid Rs. 65?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" Sir, we do not want to give retrospective effect to the order."

SRI G. KRISHNAMOORTHI :—" Is it not a fact, Sir, that the district board has gone wrong by paying a graudate Rs. 45 for the sake of having taken Tamil instead of English? "

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" That is why I said that it has been rectified. They are treated as untrained graduates now."

Revision of scales of pay of non-gazetted Government servants.

* 333 *Q.*—SRI V. V. RAMASWAMI: Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance and Education be pleased to state whether there is any proposal to revise the scales of pay of all non-gazetted Government servants in the Madras State?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" No. There is at present no such proposal under consideration."